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CENTRAL FAX CENTER**In re application of: **Kirby et al.**Serial No.: **09/692,365**Filed: **October 19, 2000****For: Method and Apparatus for
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Network Management Information in
Non-Volatile Store****35525**PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE
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§Group Art Unit: **2154****NOV 18 2005**Examiner: **Patel, Ashokkumar B.**Attorney Docket No.: **AUS9-2000-0629-US1****Certificate of Transmission Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.8(a)**

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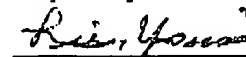
- Appeal Brief (37 C.F.R. 41.37); and
- Petition for Extension of Time within the First Month.

A fee of \$500.00 is required for filing an Appeal Brief. Please charge this fee to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. No additional fees are believed to be necessary. If, however, any additional fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 09-0447. A fee of \$120.00 is believed to be required for a one month extension of time. No additional extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an additional extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-3157.

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